THE EVENING CRITIC. ESTABLISHED AUGUST, 1808

THE TALLAPOOSA

Fitted Out and Nearly Ready for Sea ... Constructor Pook Pays a High Compliment to the Navy-yard Me-

chanies.

The United States steamer Tailapoosa, which for the past five months has been undergoing repairs at the navy-yard, is now pretty well under way. She has been hauled out into the stream, and about one hundred workmen are basily engaged upon her. The Tallapoosa is used entirely for carrying freight from one navy-yard to another, and is the only side-wheel steamer in commission now in the United States service. She has been almost thoroughly rebuilt. New ceilings and new decks have been put in her, and the accommodations, from the forward end to the hurricane deck have been extended.

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A large and spacious room has been fitted up on the upper deck for the accommedation of the President and other dignitaries. The work on the Tallapoosa was commenced March 1, last, and Constructor Samuel F. Pook, who has bad the work under his supervision, made a statement to the Navy Department in which he said that the work would be completed in five months. From present indications she will be finished in two weeks, which shows that Mr. Pook knew what he was talking about when he made the promise to the Secretary. The work has been done on as economical a scale as possible.

Constructor Pook, since he has had charge of the construction department of the yard, has made many friends among the foreman and workmen under his charge; as

stinence from time to the tone of all good citizens in the work of securing such observance, and makes a solemm protest against the present desceration of the day; the fourteenth thanks Mayor Prince for his presence at the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the city; the fifteenth tenders thanks to the outgoing officials, and the sixteenth calls the attention of the Government to the necessity of allowing Catholic missionaries among the Indians. The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

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Archbishop Elder, of Cincinnati, was elected president of the Union, but declining, Rev. J. B. Cotter, of Minnesota, was afterward chosen. O. V. P. McKenna, of Boston elected first vice registrate. of Boston, elected first vice-president. Philip A. Nolan, of Philadelphia,

chosen secretary, after which a railroad committee was appointed. The new affi-cers qualified and the convention adjourned until the first Wednesday in August, 1882.

National Hotel Arrivals. National Hotel Arrivals.

L. Freidenrich; New York; W. C. McGrew, W. Va.; M. D. Blum, Bock Hill, S. C.; E. R. Avery, Rock Hill, S. C.; B. M. Fewell, Rock Hill, S. C.; J. Lindop, New York; E. M. Power, Pennsylvania; Hon. J. T. Dezendorf, Norfolk; C. F. Starkweather, Keene, N. H.; G. W. Gregory, Minn.; R. A. Durnan, Indiana; W. Reed, Chicago; M. Bernhard, New York; J. J. Cohen, New York; W. H. Ruston, Oxford, England; A. B. Catty, Oxford, England; W. J. Chapman, Philadelphia; A. H. McGregor, Augusta, Me.; P. J. Fuehrer and wife, Virginia; T. R. Peters, Macon, Ga.

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THE POTOMACS.

Delightful Entertainment at Their Last evening was the occasion of a most delightful entertainment, or series of entertainments, given their friends by the Potomae Boat Club of this city, at their magnificent boat-house in Georgetown. The programme for the evening was two races on the river, and then a regular "house-warming," this being the first formal social gathering kince the completion of the house. The races consisted of a scull contest between Messrs. Bailey, Morgan, and T. L. Cropley. It was won, after an exciting contest, by Mr. Bailey, but so close was the nip-and-tuck of the race that Morgan was scarcely half a boat length behind as they passed the goal. The distance was two miles; time, 14:45.

The second race was in six oared gigs between married and the single crews; Single: Hallister, Johnston, A. Cropley, McKenny, Wheeler, Whittington, coxswain. Married: T. Cropley, Barbarin Pearson, S. Wheatley, Sims, C. Cropley and Bayard, coxswain At the outset it looked as if the Benedicts had a walk over, but the backelors headed in the turn and after a pretty tight contest passed the line a length and a-half in advance of the married men, winning the race and the Nassau cup.

The races over the festivities began. The Boat-House Last Night. Last evening was the occasion of a most

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ance of making the meetings attractive. The eight tenders thanks to the clergy and the press.

A resolution of sympathy with the Irish people in the struggle for land reform and that the Land League has no more efficient supporter of its principles than the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America, was adopted.

The ninth resolution condemns peopleplaying for drinks, and the societies are urged to work for its suppression; the tenth urges the formation of lecture bureaus by district societies; the eleventh sympathizes with all other temperance organizations; the twelfth urges that immates of prisons and reformatory institutions be allowed to worship God according to the dictates of their conscience; the third tenth urges better observance of Sunday by abstinence from drinking, asks the co-operation of all good citizens in the work of securing such observance, and makes a solemn protest against the presence at the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the fourteenth thanks Mayor Prince for his presence at the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention where the convention and his tenders of the hospitality of the convention which has been redered and the vicinity, which, in effect, states that they have to complain of a convention of last the vicinity, which, in effect, and the vicinity, which, in effect, and the vicinity, which, in effect, and the science provides and the vicinity, which, in effect, states

Commissioners to permit such an establish-ment, which may be likened to a slaughter house or a soap factory, to be established in the midst of a section almost solely devoted to the private residences of citizens.

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The first complimentary excursion given by the Knights of St. Matthew on the palace steamer W. W. Corcoran to Marshall Hall, last evening, proved a grand success, there being about 475 participants. The music rendered by Caldwell's orchestra was one of the principal features, the selections for the most part being old familiar tunes. The boat returned about 3 o'clock this morning, bearing home au entirely satisfied excursion party. Among those present were the Misses Arnold, Manuer, O'Dowd, Cook, Ambrose, Cadman, Gill, Powers, Donnelly, White, Venette, Lyons and Oliver; Messrs, W. Cadman, Harvey, Scaton, Soevyn, Smith, Hawkshaw, Demonet, Gill, Venable, Clearnts and Roche; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Scala, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson, Mrs. and Miss Douglass, Mr. and Miss Gill, and many others.

Petrified Human Bodies.

There must be something in the soil of There must be something in the soil of Holmead Cemetery or in the construction of coffins in the old days wonderfully preservative of human flesh, as the body of a man, petrified, which had been buried in an air-tight iron coffin, was taken up a few days ago, and later, the body of a woman was resurrected from the same locality enclosed in a wooden coffin, which was in the same petrified candition. same petrified condition.

Billy Cook's Wig.

Sam Strong tells the following story anent Billy Cook's wig: "I bought that brown wig for Rev. Billy Cook over twelve years ago in New York, but since then constant use has somewhat changed its color. The older members of the Bar will remember the consternation its first appearance on the poll of the Rev. Billy created in the court-room."

Notable Sayings of Notable Men. -"Cheese it."-Frank Ward

-"I prithee beer with me."-George Courtney 'No, sah! the Colonel is engaged. "-

Corkhill's Cerberus. -"Prides himself upon his rank."Dutch Joe who cats garlie.

-"I go to the burn from which men re-urn."-Fire Commissioner Bacon. -" If you ask us to take a beer, we will smite you."-Pete Martin and Ned Thomas.

-"Give the old man a chance."-Michael Callan, the Georgetown centen -"My favorite song-' Old John Thomas' Son.'"-John Thomas, of the Government

—"Some of Joe Acton's yarns suggest to my mind a summer resort circular. I will not say he is given to lying."—Bos Clarvoe.

—"Now here's Mr. Adams and Miss Digges after a marriage license. Well, didn't Adam have to dig after the fall?"—R. J. Meigs, jr.

An amusing mistake occurred on Capitol Hill a few days ago. During the thunder storm a sign "For sale," belonging to Hellen & Nicholson, real estate agents, placed on property near Capitol Hill Park, was blown over into the park, and a near-sighted watchman thinking it was a notice to keep off the grass put it up in the Capitol Park. A Teuton in the neighborhood, who wished to sell his house and ground for the proposed "National Library" saw the sign and burst into the office of the authorities and asked the clerk, "Mein Gott what you mean? It de government selling out?" de government selling out?"

It took fifteen minutes of explanation to make the irate Teuton understand that his lot opposite the park would not be depreci-ated in value by the sign aforesaid. It is sufficient to say that when the mistake was discovered it was promptly corrected.

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WARD—Departed this life August 5, at 7 a. m., William H. Ward, in the 63d year of his age.
Notice of fameral in morning papers.
CALLAHAN—On the 4th Inst., at 8:15 p. m.,
Emily Frances, aged it years and 6 months, only surviving daughter of Denis and Mary A. Calla-han.

nan. Funeral from No. 1416 (8) Columbia street north-west, at 3 p. m. to-morrow (Saturday), the 6th in-stant. Relatives and friends, by attending, will al-ford consolation to the distressed parents and fam-

(ROSSFIELD,—On the morning of the 4th inst., Mrs. Catherine J., wife of the late James T. Cross-field, in the 6th year of her age. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her fineral at 439 p. m. to-morrow (Satur-day), from her late residence, No. 5 K street north-rest.

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BROWN.—On Thursday, at 11:10 a. m., August 4, Jefferson Brown, aged 70 years, a native of Frince George County, Md., but for many years a resident of Washington, D. C., and an employee at the Government Printing Office.

Funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 4:0 D street southeast, on Sunday, August 7, at 8 o clock p. m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

LEAHY.—At 3a. m., Thursday, August 4. Dennis Leahy, native of Abbeyfeste County, Limerick, Ireland, aged 29 years.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, which takes place from his late residence, sip Grant avenue, on Sunday, at 3 p. m.

NASH.—On Wednessday morning, August 3, at 11 o clock a. m., George Scott Nash, infant son of Edward and Annie R. Nash, aged 19 months.

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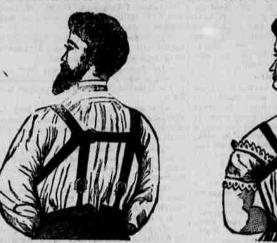
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